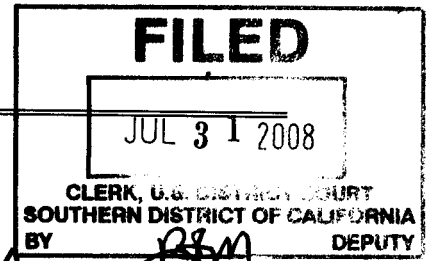


AO 455(Rev. 5/85) Waiver of Indictment

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WAIVER OF INDICTMENT

v.

CLAUDIO JUAREZ-MENDEZ

CASE NUMBER: 08cr 2546-WQH

I, CLAUDIO JUAREZ-MENDEZ, the above named defendant, who is accused of committing the following offense:

Title 8, U.S.C., Sec. 1326(a) and (b)-Deported Alien Found in the United States (Felony),

being advised of the nature of the charge(s), the proposed information, and of my rights, hereby waive in open court on 31 July 2008 ~~1 August 2008~~ prosecution by indictment and consent that the proceeding may be by information rather than by indictment.

Claudio Juez Mendez
Defendant

Caroline M. McNeill
Counsel for Defendant

Before [Signature]
Judicial Officer